

# Northwest MAC Group

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## Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 41  
September 13, 2017

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National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
5	5

### Strategic Intent:

- 1. Public and firefighter safety remains our highest priority.**
- 2. NW MAC will allocate resources in support of critical missions with focus on protecting communities and community infrastructure.**
- 3. Resources will be reallocated from long-term incidents as necessary to support strategies that seek to immediately mitigate threats to values at risk and achieve incident objectives in the short term.**

### PNW Incident Priorities (*set once per day*):

<u>Priority</u>	<u>Fire</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>IC</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
1	Initial Attack			Initial Attack always first priority.
2	Eagle Creek	OR-MHF	J. Pierson	Level 3 evacuations and level 2 notices; Conflagration Act Invoked; Partial closure on I-84; Threats to Bull Run Watershed.
3	Diamond Creek	WA-OWF	B. Houseman	Threats to Lost River and Mazama with wind alignment; NIMO ordered.
4	Desolation	OR-OCF	Team on Order	Threats to residences along Hwy 26; Type 2 team ordered.
5	Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	B. Lund/B. Gales	Level 3 evacuations and level 2 notices in place; Conflagration Act Invoked.
6	Jolly Mountain	WA-OWF	C. Schulte	Level 3 evacuations and level 2 notices in place; Continue to reduce evacuation levels; FMAG in place.
7	Norse Peak	WA-OWF	V. Arroyo	Level 3 evacuations and level 1 notices; Threat to Hwy and infrastructure; Hwy 410 partial closure.

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8	Umpqua North Complex	OR-UPF	J. Kurth	Level 1 evacuation notices; Hwy 138 open 24 hours with pilot car.
9	Horse Creek Complex	OR-WIF	T. Kurth	Level 3 evacuations; Level 1 evacuation notices for McKenzie Bridge and Belknap.
10	High Cascade Complex	OR-RSF	S. Sheldon / S. Millert	Level 1 evacuation notices for Mazama and Union Creek.
11	Miller Complex	OR-RSF	B. Goff	Evacuation notices remain in place for Joe Bar California; Achieving incident objectives.
12	Jones	OR-WIF	Team on Order	Threats to public and private timber lands; Type 2 team ordered.
13	Whitewater	OR-WIF	D. Johnson	Impact to timber sales; Trail and area closures remain in effect; Level 2 evacuation notice for Breitenbush Hot Springs.
14	Uno Peak	WA-OWF	A. Lawson	13 level 1 evacuation notices remain in place.
15	Sawmill Creek	WA-SPS	M. Wakoski	Managing Norse Peak North Zone. Threats to the City of Tacoma watershed and commercial timber.
16	Horse Prairie	OR-730S	J. Hessel	Mop-up and suppression repair; No critical needs.

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